Message

From: Buhl, Rick [/O=EXCHANGELABS/OU=EXCHANGE ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP

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Sent: 1/13/2021 8:48:20 PM

To: Kortuem, Patrice [Kortuem.Patrice@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Region 9 Mass Mailer - Limited access to R9 Facilities

I was hoping Andrew would, but he may not know the process within R8 with respect to getting approval to come in...

From: Kortuem, Patrice < Kortuem. Patrice@epa.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 1:42 PM

To: Buhl, Rick < Buhl. Rick@epa.gov>

Subject: Re: Region 9 Mass Mailer - Limited access to R9 Facilities

Do you need me to modify?

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On Jan 13, 2021, at 1:16 PM, Buhl, Rick < Buhl. Rick@epa.gov> wrote:

Talked to Deb and she is good with modifying this for Region 8. I will send it out as a mass mailer...

From: Mutter, Andrew < mutter.andrew@epa.gov > Sent: Wednesday, January 13, 2021 10:36 AM

To: Thomas, Deb < thomas.debrah@epa.gov>; Buhl, Rick < Buhl, Rick < a href="mailto:Buhl.Rick@epa.gov">Buhl, Rick <

Cc: Kortuem, Patrice < Kortuem. Patrice@epa.gov>; Wood, MelanieL < Wood. MelanieL@epa.gov>

Subject: Region 9 Mass Mailer - Limited access to R9 Facilities

Deb and Rick - This message went to the R9 workforce yesterday, and other regions are planning to send out similar notes (per my OPA call today). I recommend we consider something similar for the R8 team.

Limited Access to R9 Facilities

Over the Next Week

We have learned that there is likely to be an increase in protest activity at government facilities between now and at least Inauguration Day. While there are currently few employees entering EPA Region 9 facilities due to COVID-19, we ask that any visits planned in the next week or so be expressly cleared by your division director or the

person acting in his or her capacity. The Deputy Regional Administrator or Director of the Mission Support Division must approve any visits on January 20.

We will keep you informed of any changes to these instructions regarding building access, if necessary.

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Best regards,

Andrew

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